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Sir:

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Please advise the undersigned attorney of record of the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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